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 Application No. 09/680,131) Art Unit: 2176
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 For: INTERFACE SYSTEM AND METHOD OF)
 BUILDING RULES AND CONSTRAINTS FOR A)
 RESOURCE SCHEDULING SYSTEM)

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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This is a response to the Office Action mailed April 23, 2004. Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and consideration of the Remarks.

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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1) (Column 2)

TOTAL CLAIMS			
FOR		NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	30	minus 20 =	10
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	minus 3 =	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT			<input type="checkbox"/>

SMALL ENTITY
TYPE OR OTHER THAN
SMALL ENTITY

RATE	Fee	RATE	Fee
BASIC FEE	355.00	OR BASIC FEE	710.00
X\$ 9=		OR X\$18=	180
X40=		OR X80=	
+135=		OR +270=	
TOTAL		OR TOTAL	890

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

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X40=		X80=	
+135=		+270=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

AMENDMENT 5	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		
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+135=		+270=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

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RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		X\$18=	
X40=		X80=	
+135=		+270=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

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